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**Subject:** RE: HEADS UP: EPA Lane Plating City Meeting & Updates - with draft Agenda  
**Attachments:** Draft City of Dallas Meeting Agenda 2-5-19v1.docx

Lisa/Carl,

Attached is the agenda we would like to share today with the City of Dallas staff to include in their calendar invitation for the meeting. Please let me know by noon today if we are good to share or if we should hold up. Thanks.

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**Subject:** HEADS UP: EPA Lane Plating City Meeting & Updates

Carl/Lisa,

We have been reaching out to the City of Dallas staff to have a meeting to discuss Lane Plating. This was in response to continued interest by City Council members for EPA participation in their community meetings.

We have secured a date and time for the meeting (Feb 5<sup>th</sup>, 3:00 pm) and were originally going to meet at Dallas City Hall. We were expecting that City staff was going to invite staff from the Council members offices, but we were not aware that they also reached out to the offices of Sen Royce West and Congresswoman Eddie Bernice Johnson. Also, it now appears that Council Member Atkins wants this Feb 5<sup>th</sup> meeting held at his District 8 Community Office.

The City has also requested that we provide the meeting agenda today so they can send out the calendar invite. We are working on that this morning and can share shortly.

I have been planning on attending this meeting along with the RPM and CIC. Please advise if we need to include others in attendance for the meeting and if any additional information is required. Thanks.

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**Subject:** FW: EPA Lane Plating City Meeting & Updates

I wanted to let you know about this. I think I may need to notify other people like XA but I am not sure who I need to contact. Any recommendations?

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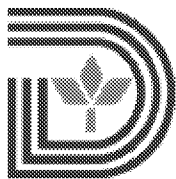
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Kenneth and Edward,

Council Member Atkins wants this Feb 5<sup>th</sup> meeting held at his District 8 Community Office located at 3624 Simpson Stuart, Dallas 75241

I just invited the offices of Sen Royce West and Congresswoman Eddie Bernice Johnson. I haven't heard back yet, but I will send an outlook invite to everyone as soon I receive your agenda.

Thanks,



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Paul,

I think 3:00 works better for our people. Are you going to send out an invitation for the meeting?

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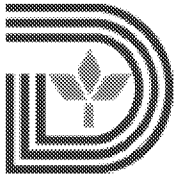
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Yes, we will set up a teleconference. It looks like 2 pm is also free if that works better.



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**Subject:** RE: EPA Lane Plating City Meeting & Updates

Paul,

I think that will work for us. I checked with Ed and John. Can you set up a teleconference line so TCEQ can call in?

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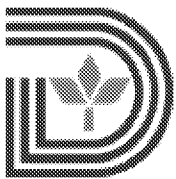
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Thank you Edward.

Is February 5 @ 3 pm in City Hall OK?



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Hi Paul,

EPA will be available to attend Councilman Felder's meeting. Due to the lapse of government funding, we may not be able to share much new information regarding the site as work was halted. What we can focus on is definitely in line with community engagement and establishing ways of communication for the site.

Prior to Councilman Felder's meeting, we would like to establish an ongoing meeting with the City of Dallas for timely site updates. This meeting frequency can be monthly or whatever works best for the city, at a location determined by your office. We were hoping to have this first meeting on either February 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup>, as early as possible, as it will

inform community engagement moving forward. It also may be beneficial to have representatives from Councilmembers Atkins, Felder and King Arnold offices in attendance. We would also like to request a conference line so our state partners can join in.

During the meeting we would like to discuss:

- Creating a Community Advisory Group (CAG) for the Lane Plating Works site, with City Councilmembers identifying key community groups leaders as members. For more information about CAG's, go to: <https://www.epa.gov/superfund/superfund-community-advisory-groups>.
- Drafting the site Community Involvement Plan, and how it will assist communication between EPA and the community.
- Discussing community input regarding EPA technical documents.

Please feel free to add anything else your office or city councilmembers want on the agenda. If this works, please let me know the time, date and location. We are very much looking forward to meeting with you all, and being proactive about the site.

Thanks,

-Ed-

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**Subject:** EPA Lane Plating Superfund Community Engagement Plan

Hello Edward,

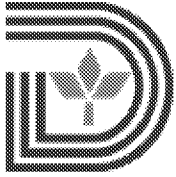
Over the past couple of weeks, I have been trying to reach you and other EPA staff, but of course it was not possible due to the government shut down.

Councilmember Atkins would like to have U.S. EPA roll out a community engagement plan (which would include a committee of residents) as part of a community meeting about Lane Plating Superfund Site. The EPA pledged to have such a committee and plan in previous meetings.

CM Atkins is ready to meet with his district residents about the plan in February at Highland Hills Library.

Please contact me as soon as possible with your available dates. I also left a message on your voicemail this morning.

Thank you,



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